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MEDIA RELEASE

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Help Others Have A Brighter Holiday Season!

The Westminster Police Department, Westminster Wal-Mart and other sponsors are seeking donations for the Shop With A Cop Angel Tree again this year. The unveiling of the tree will be on November 15, 2010 at 9:00 a.m. at the Westminster Wal-Mart, located on Woodward Drive in Westminster, Maryland. The tree will be decorated with gift tags to help less fortunate local residents have a brighter holiday season. The gift tags start at ten dollars and shoppers are asked to select a tag from the Shop With A Cop Angel Tree as they enter the Westminster Wal-Mart.

Local families experiencing economic hardships can't always provide their children with their own celebration of Christmas. The Shop With A Cop program pairs these underprivileged children with Westminster Police Officers, providing the children with gift cards to shop for Christmas presents for their families. The Westminster Police Department provides breakfast, shopping at Wal-Mart, followed by gift wrapping at the Westminster Senior Center where the children also enjoy lunch with their family.

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